

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JOHN THOMAS ENTLER,

Plaintiff,

v.

FRANCISCO PERALES, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. C07-5167 FDB/KLS

ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO
RESPOND TO DEFENDANTS'
MOTION TO DISMISS

This case has been referred to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L. Strombom pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. §§ 636 (b) (1) and Local MJR 3 and 4. Presently before the Court is Plaintiff's motion to extend the time within which to respond to Defendants' motion to dismiss. (Dkt. # 16). Plaintiff's request for an extension, until August 30, 2007, is based on his recent transfer to a new facility, the recent receipt of his legal materials, and lack of access to a law library. (Dkt. # 16). Defendants have filed a letter with the Court stating that they do not intend to respond to Plaintiff's motion unless directed to do so by the Court. (Dkt. # 17).

Accordingly, Plaintiff's request for an extension of time to respond to Defendants' motion to dismiss is **GRANTED (Dkt. # 16)**. Plaintiff's response shall be due no later than **August 31, 2007**. Defendants may file a reply no later than **September 7, 2007**. The Clerk of the Court is directed to re-note Defendants' motion to dismiss (Dkt. # 15) on the Court's calendar for

1 **September 7, 2007.**

2 The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Plaintiff and counsel for Defendants.

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4 DATED this 22nd day of August, 2007.

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